

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 423  
By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Judge Robert Neal  
Glasgow of Weakley County and Martin.

WHEREAS, it was with a deep sense of loss that the Tennessee General Assembly and the citizens of Martin learned of the death of Robert Neal Glasgow, retired Weakley County General Sessions Judge and Martin City Judge; and

WHEREAS, he served as the magistrate of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Civil district of the Weakley County Quarterly Court from 1966-1968, and also served as Martin city administrator from 1968-1974, presiding in both courts from 1968 until his retirement in 1987. Mr.Glasgow began serving as the Weakley county city Treasurer in 1974 and was also the city's recorder; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Glasgow was a member of the Tennessee Alcoholic and Drug Dependency Advisory Commission, the director of the Jackson Area Council on Alcohol and Drug Dependency, the director of Martin's Recreation Commission, the director of the Northwest Tennessee Mental Health Center, the director of the Northwest Tennessee Development District and the director of the U.S. Highway 45 Corridor Association (Kentucky, Tennessee and Mississippi); and

WHEREAS, he also served as a trustee of Volunteer General Hospital, a member of the Criminal Justice Advisory Board at the University of Tennessee at Martin, the director of the Martin Development Board, the director of the Martin Industrial Board, a member of the Martin

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Regional Planning Commission, the Martin Senior Citizens Advisory Committee and a member of the Martin Ministerial Alliance; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Glasgow's many honors include his receiving the President's Unit Citation in the Navy in 1944. He served in the U.S. Navy in the Pacific Theater as a petty officer second class from 1942-1946; and

WHEREAS, he served with acumen as president of the Tennessee General Sessions Judges Conference in 1971 and 1972, and is the only non-attorney to ever serve in that important leadership position; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Glasgow continued his education with courses and credit hours at the American Academy of Judicial Education, the University of Virginia College of Law in Charlottesville and the University of Tennessee College of Law in Knoxville; and

WHEREAS, He was named Executive of the Year by the National Secretary's Association of UT Martin in 1979. He was also chairman of the Board of Trustees for the First United Methodist Church in Martin in 1982; and

WHEREAS, Robert Neal Glasgow is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mavis Freeman Glasgow, and his son, Mr. Richard Glasgow of Columbiana, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this legislative body pause in its deliberations to remember the exemplary life of this fine Tennessean; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE CONCURRING, That we pause in our deliberations to honor the memory of Mr. Robert Glasgow and express our deepest condolences to his family and friends.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution, with this final resolving clause deleted, be prepared for presentation.